

**510 (k) Summary**

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Summary of 510 (k) safety and effectiveness information upon which the substantial equivalence determination is based:

Prepared: October 27, 2005

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| Device Name:               | Wrist joint ulnar (hemi-wrist) prosthesis |
| Device Trade Name:         | Distal Radio-Ulnar Joint Implant          |
| Device Classification:     | Class II                                  |
| Reviewing Panel:           | Orthopedic                                |
| Regulation Number          | 888.3810                                  |
| Product Code:              | 87 KXE                                    |
| Original Predicate Device: | Distal Radio-Ulnar Joint Implant          |
| Registration Number:       | 3004521401                                |
| Owner Operator Number:     | 9054354                                   |

**Device Description:**

The ulnar head implant like the predicate device includes various sizes of implants and surgical instruments. The implant allows for replacement of the distal ulnar head.

**Indications for Use:**

Aptis Medical Distal Radio Ulnar Head implant is intended for replacement of the distal radioulnar joint following ulnar head resection arthroplasty:

- Replacement of the distal ulnar head for rheumatoid, degenerative, or post-traumatic arthritis presenting with the following findings:
- Pain and weakness of the wrist joint not improved by non-operative treatment
- Instability of the ulnar head with radiographic evidence of dislocation or erosive changes of the distal radioulnar joint

- Failed ulnar head resection; eg. Darrach resection
- Primary replacement after fracture of the ulnar head or neck.
- Revision following failed ulnar head arthroplasty.

Comparison to the Original Predicate Device:

The legally marketed predicate device to which this device is substantially equivalent is the same device, the Aptis Medical Distal Radio-Ulnar Joint Implant

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Comparison of original Aptis Medical Distal Radioulnar Joint to the new configuration the additional stem lengths and diameters.

| <i>Item</i>         | <i>Original Aptis Product</i>   | <i>Proposed additional size</i>   |
|---------------------|---|---|
| Product Name        | Distal Radioulnar Joint Implant   | Distal Radioulnar Joint Implant   |
| Use                 | Single use  | Single use  |
| Fixation            | stem in intramedullary canal, screw fixation to the distal radius   | stem in intramedullary canal, screw fixation to the distal radius   |
| Constraint          | Semi constrained  | Semi constrained  |
| Material            | Co-Cr, UHMWPe, CPTi   | Co-Cr, UHMWPe, CPTi   |
| Sizes               | 2 sizes, 20, 30 body and stem   | 2 sizes, 20, 30, body 25 size stems   |
| Indications for use | Aptis Medical Distal Radio Ulnar Head implant is intended for replacement of the distal radioulnar joint following ulnar head resection arthroplasty: | Aptis Medical Distal Radio Ulnar Head implant is intended for replacement of the distal radioulnar joint following ulnar head resection arthroplasty: |
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Revision following failed ulnar  
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Similarities of the Aptis Medical DRUJ and the Aptis Medical DRUJ additional length and diameter stems include;

Both devices are intended for single use only; Both devices are intended for surgical implantation longer than 30 days; Both devices are placed into the intramedullary canal of the distal ulna; Both devices are made of the same industry standard materials. No new materials are introduced in either product; Both devices are comparably sized; Both devices have the identical indications for use.

#### Summary:

The device and the predicate device have the same design characteristics and intended use. The new device is substantially equivalent to the predicate device.



**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES**

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Re: K053119

Trade/Device Name: Distal Radio-Ulnar Joint Implant (DRUJ)  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3810  
Regulation Name: Wrist joint ulnar (hemi-wrist) polymer prosthesis  
Regulatory Class: II  
Product Code: KXE  
Dated: October 27, 2005  
Received: November 7, 2005

Dear Mr. Babb:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Office of Compliance at (240) 276-0120. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/dsma/dsmamain.html>

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark N. Melkerson", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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and Neurological Devices  
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Enclosure


## Indications for Use

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Prescription Use   X   AND/OR Over-The-Counter Use             
(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D) (21 CFR 801 Subpart C)  
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**(Division Sign-Off)**  
**Division of General, Restorative,**  
**and Neurological Devices**

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